Fremont Cemetery Trustees Meeting Minutes 24 September 2007

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The meeting was called to order at 9:00 am at the Fremont Public Library. Present were Cemetery Trustees Richard Rand, Robert Stackpole, and Roger Anderson.

The budget was discussed and the following proposal was agreed on by all three parties:

4195 CEMETERIES

001 Mowing Wages \$5,700

Remain the same as prior years, covers hourly wages for all mowing, trimming, and seasonal cleanups at the Town's cemeteries.

002 Fuel \$200

To be increased from \$150 to \$200 to cover the increased cost of fuel.

004 Mower & Equipment Repairs \$1,000

Covers repairs and maintenance (blades, oil changes, etc) on lawnmowers and trimmers.

006 Equipment Hire \$5,400

For the extension of the roadway at the Leavitt Cemetery, Phase II and tree maintenance work needed at the cemeteries.

030 Loam Seed Fertilizer \$500

Includes replacement seed, loam and fertilizer as needed

035 Cemetery Maintenance \$150

Includes annual perpetual care at the Pettengill Cemetery

040 Superintendent Salary

Trustees questioned if this line should still be maintained now that there is a committee, if so, that it should remain at \$400.

102 Electricity \$360

Annual cost of the meters at the cemetery

The Trustees also discussed the start of a Capital Reserve fund toward the future cost of a riding lawn mower. They would like to propose this be established at \$2,000 for next year.

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Other Discussion Items

- 1. All parties felt that it should be enforced not to allow the planting of shrubs and trees on any cemetery lots. This is included on any new deeds written.
- 2. Trustees will check the price for temporary corner markers. They need approximately 12 at this time.
- 3. All new lots being sold should have the price of four (4) corner stone markers included in the price of the lot and in the sale. They will be placed by cemetery workers. The pricing of this needs to be checked and calculated to be included with lot sales.
- 4. Trustees decided that all cemetery maps should be placed at the Town Office building and a copy of each one made for backup purposes.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:30 am.

Roger Anderson Richard Rand Robert Stackpole